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Applicant: Gardner, et al.

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136

A one (1) month extension of time, from July 9, 2003, to and including August 9, 2003, is requested to respond to the Office Action mailed April 9, 2003, in the above-referenced application. A check in the amount of \$55.00 is enclosed in view of the small entity status of the application.

Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayments which may be required to our Deposit Account No. 03-1721.

Respectfully submitted,

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